Lab Report Form

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Title of Lab Experiment: The Effect of a Solvent on the Color of a Substance

Purpose: To see that the solvent actually has an effect when it comes to the color of a solution

Materials:

- Cobalt Chloride
- Chemical Scoop
- Test Tube
- Cap for Test Tube
- Q-Tip
- Safety Goggles
- White Paper
- Hair Dryer

Procedure:

- 1. Fill the test tube halfway with water
- 2. Add three measures of cobalt chloride to the test tube
- 3. Cap the test tube and shake to dissolve the cobalt chloride
- 4. Remove the cap from the test tube and dip the Q-tip into the solution
- 5. Use the Q-tip with cobalt chloride to "paint" a design on the paper
- 6. After you have created your design, use the hair dryer to dry your design and observe what happens
- 7. After that let the paper sit out and observe what happens

Data:

Color of Cobalt Chloride solution before heat:	Red
Results:	
Color of Cobalt Chloride solution after heat:	Blue
Color of Cobalt Chloride solution after sitting out:	Red

Conclusions:

When heat interacts with a chemical it is possible that it will change the color of the chemical.

References:

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